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**SUBJECT: FIFTH RELEASE OF CREDITS FOR THE BULLOCK BEND MITIGATION BANK
 (1798-2014-01-R2)**

Dear Ms. Collins:

The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has received your letter requesting the fifth release of credits for the Bullock Bend Mitigation Bank (Bank).

Per Section VII.B of the Bank Enabling Instrument (BEI), 15% of the total amount of credits can be released upon attainment of year 4 performance standards, funding of the endowment principal in accordance with Section VI.E.2.a of the BEI, and approval of National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) and CDFW. The performance measures for year 4 have been attained, the endowment has been funded in accordance to the BEI, and per NMFS letter dated January 5, 2021, NMFS concurred the performance standards were achieved. Since all the requirements have been achieved, CDFW authorizes per Exhibit F, the release of the following credits:

Credit Type	Approved BEI Total Credits	Approved 4th Credit Release (15%)
Salmonid/Riverine Riparian re-establishment	33.67	5.05
Salmonid/Riverine Riparian/Swainson's hawk nesting re-establishment	42.63	6.39
Salmonid/Floodplain Riparian/Swainson's hawk establishment	14.65	2.20
Salmonid/Riverine Riparian enhancement	3.81	0.57
Salmonid/Floodplain Riparian/Swainson's hawk nesting enhancement	16.99	2.55
Salmonid	4.40	0.66

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The required first four installments of the CDFW implementation fee per Section VII.B of the BEI has also been paid. The final installment will be due on or before November 30, 2021.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Stephanie Buss, Senior Environmental Scientist (Specialist), at (916) 406-4311 or stephanie.buss@wildlife.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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